

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Debargha Mukherjee et al.	Examiner:	Nhon Thanh Diep
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ELECTION AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed April 3, 2008, in which a Restriction Requirement was set forth relative to the Examiner-identified inventions of Group I (claims 1-22, 24, and 25) and Group II (claim 23). In response, Applicant hereby elects Group I (claims 1-22, 24, and 25 without traverse.

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